

**Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States (2004) – Supplement 1**  
Annotated for Statistical Reporting Purposes

CHAPTER 45  
CORK AND ARTICLES OF CORK

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Note

- I. This chapter does not cover:
  - (a) Footwear or parts of footwear of chapter 64;
  - (b) Headgear or parts of headgear of chapter 65; or
  - (c) Articles of chapter 95 (for example, toys, games, sports equipment).

Additional U.S. Note

- I. For the purposes of subheading 4504.10.20, the term "compressed cork" means forms molded under heat and compression from cork particles without the addition of other materials.

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Heading/ Subheading	Stat. Suf- fix	Article Description	Unit of Quantity	Rates of Duty		
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				General	Special	
4501		Natural cork, raw or simply prepared; waste cork; crushed, granulated or ground cork:				
4501.10.00	00	Natural cork, raw or simply prepared . . . . .	kg . . . . .	Free		Free
4501.90		Other:				
4501.90.20	00	Waste cork . . . . .	kg . . . . .	Free		Free
4501.90.40	00	Crushed, granulated or ground cork . . . . .	kg . . . . .	Free		6.6¢/kg
4502.00.00	00	Natural cork, debacked or roughly squared, or in rectangular (including square) blocks, plates, sheets or strip (including sharp-edged blanks for corks or stoppers) . . . . .	kg . . . . .	Free		22¢/kg
4503		Articles of natural cork:				
4503.10		Corks and stoppers:				
		Tapered and of a thickness (or length) greater than the maximum diameter:				
4503.10.20	00	With maximum diameter not over 19 mm . . . . .	kg . . . . .	Free		68¢/kg
		Other:				
4503.10.30	00	Wholly of cork, of a thickness (or length) greater than the maximum diameter . . . . .	kg . . . . .	Free		55¢/kg
4503.10.40	00	Other . . . . .	kg . . . . .	Free		55¢/kg
4503.10.60	00	Other . . . . .	kg . . . . .	Free		55¢/kg
4503.90		Other:				
4503.90.20	00	Disks, wafers and washers . . . . .	kg . . . . .	Free		55¢/kg
4503.90.40	00	Wallcoverings, backed with paper or otherwise reinforced . . . . .	kg . . . . .	Free		3.3¢/kg + 20%
4503.90.60	00	Other . . . . .	X . . . . .	14%	Free (A,CA,CL,E, IL,J,MX) 2.8% (JO) 12.2% (SG)	45%
4504		Agglomerated cork (with or without a binding substance) and articles of agglomerated cork:				
4504.10		Blocks, plates, sheets and strip; tiles of any shape; solid cylinders, including disks:				
4504.10.10	00	Vulcanized sheets and slabs wholly of ground or pulverized cork and rubber . . . . .	kg . . . . .	Free		25%
4504.10.20	00	Insulation, coated or not coated, of compressed cork . . . . .	m <sup>3</sup> . . . . . kg . . . . .	Free		Free
4504.10.30	00	Floor coverings . . . . .	kg . . . . .	Free		22¢/kg
4504.10.40	00	Wallcoverings, backed with paper or otherwise reinforced . . . . .	kg . . . . .	Free		3.3¢/kg + 20%
4504.10.45	00	Corks, stoppers, disks, wafers and washers: Stoppers, not tapered, wholly of cork, of a thickness (or length) greater than the maximum diameter . . . . .	kg . . . . .	Free		55¢/kg
4504.10.47	00	Other . . . . .	kg . . . . .	Free		55¢/kg
4504.10.50	00	Other . . . . .	kg . . . . .	Free		45%
4504.90.00	00	Other . . . . .	X . . . . .	Free		45%